

(By Carl Barkow)

The primary political campaign is nearly over, and after Tuesday we can have a breathing spell until next October, when the candidates who go on the general election ballot will release their big guns. We will then also have some 20 odd initiative measures and constitutional amendments to worry about. If we continue to delegate the job of making the laws to the rank and file of the voters, the time will come when we don't need any more legislators.

Palm Springs became a little "het up" over the the supervisory contest this week and a committee of a half hundred local Dillon supporters looked into the supervisor's record and issued a statement which is published in a full page advertisement on page three of this issue. The record proves that Dillon has been a good friend of Palm Springs, which emphasizes this column's previous contention that a good official should be kept on the job. We advise the readers of this newspaper to read every word of it, for the statement is backed up by 50 honorable and trustworthy citizens who have attached their names. Our vote is for Bob Dillon.

At the eleventh hour two local men have announced they propose to be write-in candidates for the office of Justice-of-the-Peace. The average voter resents an unwarranted write-in campaign, which proved to be the case in the incorporation election when the one write-in candidate who even received newspaper support and had plenty of cards and literature, received only four votes. It would be a crying shame if even a sizeable number of votes should be cast against the candidate, Judge Albert R. Hoffman, who filed in the regular manner. To split the offices of city judge and justice-of-the-peace would double the expense to the taxpayers. As city magistrate, Judge Hoffman is now serving for one dollar a month (practically nothing). It was expected he would be elected justice and would then draw his salary for that office from the county. Naturally, if another should be elected justice, the city would have to pay its judge, and each court would have to provide its own court room. In practically every other city of this size one man holds both jobs, and certainly he should here. Furthermore, Judge Hoffman is a distinguished lawyer, who stood high in the legal profession of Cincinnati. In first-class townships it is required by law that the justice-of-the-peace must be a lawyer, and although this is classed as a fourth-class township, the great amount of highly technical legal business to be transacted in the local justice court demands that the judge should also be a lawyer. Any one having less qualifications would be an endless expense to the county because of the number of cases that would probably be appealed to a higher court. In the interests of a square deal to Palm Springs, the voters should stamp an X after Albert R. Hoffman's name, even if his is the only one on the ballot. Thus a write-in victory may be averted.

It appears that Merriam and Olson will be the nominees of the Republican and Democratic parties, respectively, although we prefer not to be quoted that we predicted an Olson victory at the primary election. For the Senate, we are praying for Bancroft or Riley. "My Friend Mac" having the President's blessing, will probably get the Democratic nomination. A great deal of interest is manifest in the contest for the State Board of Equalization. It would not be unexpected if Bonelli should win in the primary. So much for the state offices.

Locally the most interest is shown in the county offices. Sometimes it is difficult for the voter to choose, for he may have two friends running for the same office. If one of

Eight Building Permits Here This Week

Eight building permits were issued by Building Inspector Charles Burkett and his assistant, Jerry Sanborn, this week.

The largest, in value, was to Harold Barkow of The Desert Sun, who is building a new home on Buena Vista Street in Desert Sands. Herbert H. Foster is the contractor and Finlayson & Benedict the architects.

The other permits were as follows: Herbert Goodall, addition to El Sereno Apartments, East Cabuilla road between Baristo and Ramon, back of the Town House. Mr. Goodall is the owner of the apartment court.

William J. Murray, store building at the corner of Indian Avenue and Amado Road.

William Nash, five-room house on Sunrise Way between Tamarisk Road and Granview Valmonte. R. S. Pinckard is the contractor.

Thomas LaRue, manager Standard Oil Station, residence on Camino Real between Paracella and Sunny Dunes Roads.

Ellis Holcomb, residence, Palo Fiero Calle, near Palm Springs Builders Supply Co. E. F. Martell, contractor. E. Van Dillon, five-room residence in Palm Springs Estates No. 5. Harry Rocks, contractor. Mr. Van Dillon is a resident of Ventura.

David Margolius, remodeling his residence next to the Ambassador Apartments into apartments to be operated in conjunction with the Ambassador Apartments. William Marte and H. L. Hansen, associate, have the contract.

City Council to Hold Meeting Tuesday Night

The city council will meet next Tuesday evening (election night) with all members present. Councilman Alvah Hicks returned from Europe last week and Councilman Frank Shannon is expected back from his Eastern trip the latter part of this week. The other four councilmen and Mayor Philip Boyd have been in Southern California throughout the summer and were therefore able to attend all meetings.

The principal matter of business Tuesday night will probably be the passage of the "anti-poker" ordinance. The ordinance is aimed to prevent the establishment of "poker parlors" in Palm Springs.

The contract for the collection of garbage may also be awarded at the meeting. Harry Williams, local distributor for Arden Dairies, was the lowest bidder.

Doll House Buys China Seas

Mrs. Jane Manchester, who has operated the Doll House here for a number of years, has purchased the China Seas cafe and cocktail lounge, from Gordon Youngs, who operated the place last year. It will be known as The Doll House in the future.

Mr. Youngs will continue to operate the Ramon Liquor Store and also the restaurant in Tom Luke's pool hall, which he conducted this summer.

Wm. R. Atkin Opens New Office

William R. Atkin, contractor, is building an addition to the McManus Realty Co. office on Palm Canyon Drive just north of the Union Oil Co. station, and is remodeling the present structure. It will be completed in about two weeks, and has been leased by Mr. Atkin for his office.

Mr. Atkin, who has built a number of the foremost buildings of Palm Springs, has found it necessary to have a down town office.

Mrs. Herb Foster and Bud have returned to the village from a summer spent in Texas. Bud will enter the Palm Springs High school this fall as a junior.

Racquet Club Spends \$15,000 For Additions

Charles Farrell, famous movie star and owner of the Racquet Club with Ralph Bellamy, is in town looking after improvements of the club. He stated yesterday that he contemplates spending about \$15,000 on the club buildings before the opening of the season.

The principal improvement will be the construction of a solarium, wall and roof to be entirely of quartz glass, through which the ultra violet and other rays of the sun penetrate. The building, about 30x40 feet in size, will be built between the bar and the dining room. It will be used for a lounge during the day and for parties and special social events at night.

At one end of the swimming pool a guest house will be built and an apartment for the resident manager. There will also be a brick structure for Finnish vapor baths. The great Finnish athletes attribute much of their strength and endurance to the unique Finnish baths, and these will soon be available to members of the Racquet Club.

Plans for the new structures have been completed by Architect Charles Matcham and bids have been called for.

Mr. Farrell will devote most of his time to the club this season. Gus Berksen, 18 years with the Alexandria and Ambassador Hotels in Los Angeles, will be the resident manager and will have charge of the dining room, kitchen and bar. He was second in command at the Ambassador. Carlton (Hookie) Hoekstra will continue as secretary and treasurer.

An eight-pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Hoekstra on August 9th, which, incidentally, is also Mr. Farrell's birthday.

Theatre to Open Soon After Sept. 5

It was reported yesterday that Earl Strebe will open his Palm Springs Theatre a day or two after Labor Day, which this year comes on September 5th.

Mr. Strebe will close his Lake Arrowhead Theatre on Labor Day, and he and his staff will come to Palm Springs immediately. He has had a very good summer season at the Lake.

Free Employment Bureau Of P. S. B. M. A. Very Active

M. C. Dudley, executive secretary of the Palm Springs Business Men's Association, reports that the free employment bureau of that organization is becoming very active as the start of the season approaches. A number of placements have been made, and the employment bureau has in its files the names of many capable applicants for various types of skilled and unskilled jobs.

The services of the employment bureau of the P.S.B.M.A. are free to both member employer of the association and to employee. When a request comes to the association for an employee, the employment bureau makes a sincere effort to fill the position locally, if at all possible. However, there are no local applicants registered with the employment bureau for some types of skilled jobs.

If a position can not be filled locally, the P.S.B.M.A. has the facilities of the California State Employment Service at its command. This free state-wide service will supply the local employment bureau with competent skilled workmen of any type desired. This widens the scope of the employment bureau and increases the value of the service to local employers rendered by the bureau.

Local employers should know that the P.S.B.M.A. has at the present time applicants for many types of skilled and unskilled work. The association has a number of capable general housekeepers and high-class cooks registered for work.

Don't Forget To Vote Tuesday August 30

Don't forget to vote Tuesday, August 30. Only by a large vote of the electorate may representative government be assured.

If you are going to be away from Palm Springs on election day and are planning to vote by absentee ballot, remember that an absentee ballot must be voted on or before election day. One can vote by absentee ballot before any county clerk, notary public, city clerk, or before any person with power to administer an oath. No charge can be made for acknowledging.

An absentee ballot must be voted before the time that the polls close on election day and must be received at the office of County Clerk D. G. Clayton within five days after election day. The time limit of procuring absentee ballots for Tuesday's primary election has passed.

Also, any voter of Riverside county who knows that he will be unable to be in his home precinct on election day can vote during any day prior to Tuesday, August 30, at the office of the County Clerk, county court house, Riverside. Any voter wishing to vote in the office of County Clerk Clayton prior to August 30 must only sign an affidavit there guaranteeing that he will not be in his own voting precinct on election day.

4 Drug Stores Now Open For Season

Four of Palm Springs' six drug stores are now open for the coming season. This week Homer King reopened his drug store in the Grove Building, and Joe Miller, who recently purchased the Village Pharmacy from Mrs. Zaddie Bunker, opened his store today.

"Pat" Patterson's Palm Springs Drug Store, opposite the Desert Inn, and Harry Valentine's Drug Store, at the corner of South Palm Canyon Drive and Arenas Road (south of The Plaza) have been open all summer. The El Paseo Pharmacy and the Plaza Pharmacy are expected to open within the next few weeks.

Mr. Miller, who purchased the Village Pharmacy, has been in the drug business for more than 20 years, and still operates a drug store at Sixth and Fairfax, in Los Angeles. He operated the pharmacy in the Warner Bros. Theatre block in Hollywood for 10 years. He is in personal charge of his local drug store. Phil Quaglino, manager of the Village Pharmacy last season, will continue with Mr. Miller, and Pat White will have charge of the fountain.

Mr. Miller, owner and builder of Casa de Beverly, apartment house opposite the Del Tahquitz, recently leased the Connell block, opposite Carnell building at the corner of Andreas Road and Palm Canyon Drive, formerly occupied by Thelma Wertheimer's Palm Springs Furniture Store. This has been divided into four store rooms, which are now for rent.

George Stewart Moves Into New Home

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Stewart, of the Palm Springs Drug Co., moved into their new home this week, at the corner of Tamarisk Road and Calle De Marcus. The charming new five-room house was built by Contractor Vincent Savory.

H. D. McNeer, manager of the Plaza Garage, is building a new home on the lot adjoining Mr. Stewart's home. It will be completed early in October.

Mrs. Molly Weaver and daughter, Eddie Dorris, returned Saturday to their home in Corsicana, Texas. They are the mother and sister of Mrs. George W. Stewart, and have been visiting at the Stewart home.

News About New P. S. High School

A reporter from The Desert Sun Thursday drove out to the new Palm Springs High school to interview Principal Morris F. Richardson concerning various high school matters. A number of important things were brought out in the course of discussion between this reporter and Principal Richardson.

Classes in manual training will be available at the high school. These will be held in a small temporary building which now stands on the school grounds northeast of the new plant. This temporary building was moved down from Banning, and it will contain both a wood shop and a metal shop. Clyde Hedrick, the mathematics teacher, will instruct the classes in manual training.

When school opens Monday, September 12, the Palm Springs High school will be furnished with equipment borrowed from the plant at Banning. However, this is only a temporary arrangement; and this condition will only prevail until the arrival of the new furniture. Ultimately the local school will be equipped with all new furniture.

Registration Days

Students that will attend the high school this year, who registered last spring at the Banning Union High school or at the local grammar school will be handed program cards on the opening day of school. These registrations for the new high school made last spring will hold. However, pre-registered students wishing to change their program can do so by calling at the Palm Springs plant on Thursday, Friday or Saturday, Sept. 8, 9, or 10 anytime between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Also students who have not registered can do so during these three days.

School Starts Sept. 12

The new Palm Springs High school will hold its first classes Monday, September 12. School will open in the mornings at 8:25 and close at 2:45 in the afternoon and the students will be given an hour for lunch, 12 o'clock to 1:00. The above schedule for the coming school term has been decided upon after careful consideration of all factors.

Dr. William C. Gunnerson, superintendent of schools, Banning Union High school district, has called a joint faculty meeting of the Palm Springs and Banning high schools for 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, September 7. This joint meeting will be held at Banning. That same day at 2:00 in the afternoon the faculty of the Palm Springs school will hold its first meeting at the local school house.

The school board of the Banning Union High school district will meet at Banning Monday evening. The board meeting is scheduled for 7:00 p.m. at the high school. At that time various matters concerning the new Palm Springs high school will be up for discussion.

All of the high school teachers have made arrangements for their residences for the coming term.

Picture by Local Boy Gives P. S. Wide Publicity

Palm Springs is receiving wide publicity through a prize-winning photograph by W. Leroy Mills, 19-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Mills of Mills' Palm Springs Liquor Store, published in the July 31st rotogravure section of the Seattle Times.

Young Mills was here from Seattle last April, and took a picture of Tahquitz Falls, which he submitted in the Seattle Times photo contest. The picture won the prize, and is now entered in the nation-wide contest, and will therefore be published in some of the foremost dailies of the country.

Mr. and Mrs. Mills have three sons, Leroy being the second.

HICKS BUYS NEW BUICK FROM DESERT INN GARAGE

Alvah F. Hicks this week purchased a new Buick Series 40 Business Coupe from the Desert Inn Garage. Lou Billington, manager of the garage, went to Los Angeles Wednesday and drove the car back.

140 Attend P. S. Party at Idyllwild

Over 140 villagers attended the gala "One Wild Night" party at Idyllwild last night, Thursday, August 25, with golf, tennis, and bridge the order of the afternoon prior to the evening's festivities.

It was indeed a gay day for Palm Springs, with many localities seeing old friends for the first time since the close of last season. A sumptuous turkey dinner served at 7:30 p.m. was enjoyed at the Idyllwild Inn. Mike Flavin and Mrs. Harriett Henderson acted as host and hostess at the dinner party.

Following dinner, but before the guests left the tables, Mrs. Henderson was in charge of a burlesque council meeting staged by herself and six other villagers, she playing the part of Mayor Philip Boyd. Mayor Henderson tabled for future consideration every item brought before her. That she thought it might be a strain on the council to pass at that time.

The dance was a huge success with Milton Hicks officiating at the punch bowl. The orchestra was fine.

No winner was announced for the golf tournament as night caught the golfers before the tournament was finished.

Big Jack of the Chi Chi Bar spent the evening campaigning for Bill Adkin "as a write-in candidate for any public office that pays a salary."

Taken all the way through the party was a real success, and much credit is due the committee in charge of the arrangements for the affair.

Committee at Palm Springs: Jerry Sanborn, Mr. and Mrs. Vern West, C. C. Neel, Charles Matthews, Joe Butler, George Lafayette and Archie Palmer.

Lake Arrowhead: Anthony Burke, Pat Patterson.

Balboa: Mrs. Norma Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. George Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hicks.

Idyllwild: Mike Flavin, Dr. and Mrs. Jack Hill, and Mrs. C. Henderson.

2 Write-in Candidates For Justice-of-Peace

Charles H. Adkins and Tom Luke this week announced that they would be write-in candidates for the office of Justice-of-the-Peace at the primary election next Tuesday. City Judge Albert R. Hoffman was the only candidate who filed for the office.

Mr. Adkins' vocation was not announced. Mr. Luke operates the pool hall and beer parlor on Andreas Road near the Indian Reservation.

Benedict Is Chairman Of Merriam Committee

Hiram H. Benedict, of the architectural firm of Findlayson & Benedict, has accepted the chairmanship of the Palm Springs Merriam-for-Governor Committee. Mr. Benedict was authorized to appoint his other committee members, and the full committee will be announced next week. Headquarters of the committee will be in Mr. Benedict's architectural office on North Palm Canyon Drive.

JACK WENTWORTH TO VISIT PALM SPRINGS DURING SEPTEMBER

Jack Wentworth, who resigned his post last spring as manager at Smoke Tree, expects to be in California in September to finish up some Smoke Tree Ranch business.

Mr. Wentworth will not be in Palm Springs this winter as he has taken over the management of The Santa Fe Inn at Santa Fe, New Mexico. However, he will visit the village this September while in California.

Loan of \$2000 was extended from the general reserve fund of Riverside county by the board of supervisors to the Palm Springs Sanitary district to permit the district to operate until first installment of taxes are received in January.

The increased budget of the district caused by the incorporation of the city of Palm Springs makes the loan necessary at this time. Guy Pinney of the resort explained to the board on Monday.

Chief Meyers Invites Whites to Indian Fiesta

The Santa Rosa Band of Mission Indians are inviting their desert neighbors to come to their beautiful reservation up 5,000 feet in the Santa Rosa mountains, near Torro peak, among the fine large Black Oaks, under their wide spreading branches and cool shade on the Palms-to-Pines Road.

The Santa Rosa Indians are putting on an Indian Fiesta, rodeo, barbecue, Indian games, and baseball game by Indian teams. Old "Chief" Jack Meyers, erstwhile New York Giants' National League catcher, will be there to umpire the games.

There will be dancing, Indian and otherwise. Dancing will start in the evening—you set the time when to stop.

The famous Peon game of the Indians will be played at night. Jack Meyers will be there to explain the points of the game to those who have not seen it. The chant, motion and rhythm of the players is quite fascinating, and once you get an inkling of what it is all about, you will begin to understand that swing that the Indian has sung for ages.

The committee says:

The opening dates are the week end of August 26, 27 and 28, and the week end of Sept. 3, 4, and 5 are the closing dates. Sunday, Sept. 4 is the date we shoot the works with the big rodeo, barbecue and baseball game. Of course the dates from the 26th of August to Labor Day, the 5th of September, are inclusive. You can drive up with your trailer and pick out a nice, shady Black Oak and spend your vacation with us. We will do our best to make your stay on our reservation a welcome and pleasant one.

The Santa Rosa reservation is on the Palms-to-Pines Highway, No. 74—as fine a piece of road engineering that one would care to see. Many grand views of desert, canyons and mountains. Put it on your "must see" list!

For those coming from the desert country you turn left or South off the highway, just after you see the first Black Oaks. Road signs will guide you to the Reservation Fiesta Grounds about one quarter of a mile to a fine large Black Oak grove.

The purpose of all this good time is to raise funds to build a church and meeting place—funds to be used for sash, hardware, cement, etc. All labor and natural materials to be provided by the Santa Rosa Band of Indians. This is the first time the Santa Rosa Indians have gotten together for such a worthy purpose.

Elect a home-town man, Templeton for Constable.
Adv.

A charge of fifty cents will be made for the barbecue tickets, and those holding tickets will be served a nice helping of barbecued game beef. Many prefer this game beef meat to venison. The Indian cowboys have pledged themselves to go out and get a wild one for this occasion as part of their bit towards building our church. There are a few Maverick animals on our reservation that seldom see man. They live deep in rough wild country and are very hard to get out; hence the term "game beef." Have you ever tasted any?

The fiesta committee, E. O. Schaffer, Jack Meyers, Sam Rice, Alex Tortes and Felix Rice.

Miss Hattie Gale Is Called by Death

Word came this week from Mrs. Fred Payne Clatworthy, at Estes Park, Colorado, that Miss Hattie Gale, a resident of Palm Springs for a number of years, died recently in Redlands.

While a resident here, Miss Gale was a companion for Miss Lillian Hill, who owned a duplex near the Community church. Miss Gale owned a home in Santa Rosa tract.

Her niece, Miss Berna Gale, has been her constant companion. She stated that she has sold Miss Gale's Skyline property, in the San Bernardino mountains, but will keep the Palm Springs property for rental purposes.

Miss Gale was a devout Christian and was active in local church work.

"Wrong-way" Corrigan Plans Rest at Riverside County Desert Ranch

Douglas "Wrong-Way" Corrigan, aviator whose unexpected flight to Ireland made him a prominent and popular figure over night, plans to visit Riverside County soon, according to Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Chambers, of the Coachella Valley, owners of a ranch near La Quinta, whose guest he will be.

Corrigan is an old friend of Mr. and Mrs. Chambers, with whom he became acquainted in Los Angeles. He sent them an air mail letter from Washington, D. C., saying that he will be here soon for a visit and rest.

Many Improvements For Bunker Court

Mrs. Zaddie Bunker is making extensive improvements on her Bunker Court, west of the Palm Springs Theatre. All of the cottages are being remodeled and all will be painted. Mrs. Bunker has eight cottages in the court.

Cathedral City Man Breaks Into Print In Monhegan Press

The following article clipped from the Saturday, August 13, 1938, issue of the Monhegan Press of Monhegan Island, Maine, concerns Captain George A. True, a desert winter-resident at Cathedral City for the past two seasons. Captain True has a host of friends at Cathedral City and in Palm Springs.

ENGLISHMAN TO CRACK WHIP IN CIRCUS RING

When Monhegan's Ting-a-Ling Brothers and Sisters Hot Air Circus comes to town Saturday a distinguished English visitor will crack the whip under the "open" top.

He is George True, who will act as master-of-ceremonies.

Mr. True has versatile talents as a performer and has enthusiastically volunteered his services.

When asked about the necessary top hat for his costume, Mr. True had recourse to his own luggage, and presto!—he produced an opera hat.

Although referred to in the above article as an Englishman, Captain True has been an American citizen for 20 years. He is a prominent member of the Elks Lodge.

BILL CROSS RETURNS FROM SECOND TRIP TO SAN FRANCISCO

Realtor Bill Cross returned recently from his second trip of the summer to San Francisco.

This time Mr. Cross drove north with Attorney Elmer B. F. Collier of Palm Springs. He was away from the village for two weeks.

Realtor Cross had a very pleasant return trip to Southern California, in the luxurious Santa Fe stream-lined train. He enjoyed side trips to Yosemite and Sequoia National Parks on the return trip.

BEAUMONT MAN, HANDY WITH PEN, IN COUNTY PEN

Harold N. Samson, Beaumont "efficiency expert" who had admitted flooding the Riverside area with fictitious checks, was sentenced to two years to the county industrial road camp as a provision of five-years probation.

Samson had pleaded guilty to five counts. The sentence, applied to each count, will run on a concurrent basis. After Judge Morton had pronounced judgment, Mrs. Samson collapsed sobbing in the courtroom and had to be removed before proceedings could continue.

The hearing occurred at Riverside Monday.

Important Meeting Of P. S. B. M. A. Election Day

An important general meeting of the Palm Springs Business Men's Association has been scheduled for next Tuesday afternoon, August 30, at 1:30 p. m. The general meeting will be followed by a meeting of the executive committee of the organization. Both of these meetings will be held in Room 15, the Plaza.

Among the matters to be considered by the P.S.B.M.A. next week will be the filling of the post of first vice-president, left vacant by the recent resignation of Jack Wentworth. Wentworth will not return to Palm Springs this season as he has given up his position as manager at Smoke Tree Ranch to take over the management of The Santa Fe Inn at Santa Fe, New Mexico. His resignation was dated July 25, 1938.

The matter of an official emblem for the association will be up for consideration again at next week's meeting. An emblem committee was appointed last spring with power to act, and this committee has been working during the summer on the problem. The committee has now adopted a design for the emblem from among the several submitted to the association. The design will be shown to the members at the coming meeting.

Various pre-season problems will also be up for discussion at this meeting.

Dillon and McKenzie Here Investigating Road Projects

County Supervisor Robert E. Dillon and County Road Superintendent R. L. McKenzie were in Palm Springs today conferring with Councilman A. F. Hicks and Road Superintendent Jerry Sanborn regarding local road improvements.

A few months ago Mr. Dillon completed arrangements for the paving of the balance of the road to Garnet (North Indian Avenue) and previously he spent \$7,500 on the road for paving and maintenance. Mr. Dillon has also donated from county funds 50% of the cost of paving many important local streets.

Dr. Henry S. Reid, owner of Reid's Hospital and Clinic in Palm Springs, returned to Estes Park, Colorado, this week, after undergoing an operation in the Mayo Brothers Hospital in Rochester, Minnesota.

It isn't so difficult for a man to get along passably well with women if he'll just be magnanimous and treat them as if they were his equal.

POPULATION DECLINES AT COUNTY JAIL

The county jail population continues to decline, Art Crane, jailer, reports.

As of yesterday, Sunday, there were only 80 inmates, including five women and three juveniles.

There are 18 federal prisoners, while five are in the county hospital detention ward. There are 19 trustees.

Pay telephone bills before the 25th and receive discount.

CONTRACT SIGNED FOR FLOOD REPAIRS IN RIVERSIDE COUNTY

Contracts for emergency flood damage repairs in Riverside and San Diego counties were signed Saturday by the State Department of Public Works at Sacramento. San Diego received \$38,000 for repair of the San Luis Rey River bridge. The Riverside allocation was for levee repair in the San Jacinto levee district.

Elect Templeton Constable.
Adv.

(Political Advertisement)

GORDON PEQUEGNAT for County Clerk

Elect The Man TRAINED For the Job

Chief Deputy County Clerk Since 1931



Take the Tax Collector's Office Out of Partisan Politics

ELECT BEECHER W. SCOTT for Tax Collector



(A taxpayer and a resident of Riverside County for 36 years). Qualified and capable of handling the Tax Collector's office in a business-like manner.

A clean campaign . . . Spending Only My Own Money . . . Not Tied to any Particular Party or Group . . . No Paid Solicitors.

YOUR VOTE AND SUPPORT WILL BE APPRECIATED ON AUGUST 30

Slogan: "One Member of a Family Only on County Payroll"



Merriam for Governor Committee:

Willard G. Babcock, General Chairman

Mrs. Florence Wright, Woman's Committee Chairman

Frank L. Miller, Banning Chairman

Hiram H. Benedict, Palm Springs Chairman.

Why Riverside County Will Vote to Retain Governor Merriam

He was elected in 1934 by a coalition of Republican and Democratic voters.

He inherited a deficit of 30 MILLION dollars in 1934, upon taking office, and has brought California to a point where by the end of the biennium there will be no deficit.

In spite of the most severe financial difficulties ever faced by the state, NOT ONE SINGLE SCHOOLHOUSE WAS CLOSED nor a child deprived of the educational advantages of which the State has been so proud.

His appointments have reflected the State needs and conditions and have been made on a nonpartisan basis.

In a period of emotionalism, he has proven himself a temperate and sound leader.

He has looked upon the greatest business of the State, AGRICULTURE, as

you would expect a farmer to look at it. California today leads in progressive agricultural legislation.

He has improved conditions in State hospitals and institutions. He has met the crowded conditions by new buildings.

He has endorsed the UNIFIED ROAD PROGRAM of Riverside County, which assures the county of needed road improvements.

He has met the relief program efficiently, adequately, and on a pay as you go basis.

Under his administration, Labor has made more constructive gains than in any period of the whole history.

He has stood firmly for law and order and against racketeering. Crime has been reduced in California.

For these and other reasons Palm Springs and Riverside County will vote on August 30 to re-elect Gov. Frank F. Merriam

(Political Advertisement)

BOB DILLON'S ACHIEVEMENTS FOR PALM SPRINGS

DURING HIS TERMS AS SUPERVISOR

Road Improvements (as taken from Riverside County Records)

Appropriated \$30,000 of county funds for the improvement of the highway between Palm Springs and Highway 99 before this road became a state highway.

Appropriated \$7,500 of county funds for the improvement and maintenance of the Palm Springs-Garnet Road. Three months ago he completed arrangements for the paving of the balance of the road to Garnet.

Spent \$9,000 of county funds for the improvement of the Palm Springs-Edom Road, serving Palm Springs Field Club and Sewer Plant locations, as well as the new High School.

Spent \$2,000 of county funds on paving one mile of the Palm Canyon road.

Spent over \$2,000 of county funds on the widening and making safer for automobile traffic the dangerous Whitewater point.

Spent \$5,000 of county funds to build shoulders on Palm Canyon Drive before it became a State Highway.

Donated from his district funds the palos verde trees planted on the borders of Palm Canyon Drive by a Chamber of Commerce committee chairmaned by the late Dr. Kocher.



ROBERT EMMETT DILLON

Municipal Assistance:

Cooperated 100% with the County Health Department in the matter of bringing about a healthy condition of affairs on the Indian Reservation.

Has furnished funds to provide additional police protection for Palm Springs from the Sheriff's office during the winter season.

Last winter secured county funds, men and equipment for the building of reinforcement of the outfall sewer line and an overpass, thereby saving the taxpayers of the Sanitary District about \$1,000.00.

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When Palm Springs was invaded by the "army worms", he was on the job immediately with county men and equipment.

Was of invaluable assistance to the community in its negotiations for an airport on Indian land.

Had the fortitude (in the face of objections from the county grand jury and the county taxpayers' committee that Judicial Townships be reduced) to insist to the Board of Supervisors that the new "Palm Springs Judicial Township" be created. This Act Alone Is So Important To PALM SPRINGS THAT IT JUSTIFIES SUPERVISOR DILLON'S RE-ELECTION.

General:

By contributing 50% of the costs from County Funds, has made it possible for many property owners in Palm Springs to have their roads paved.

The county tax rate has been reduced \$1.82 (more

than 50 per cent) per \$100.00 since he took office.

By his 8 years experience in office, he is the logical man to assist the city council in its dealings with the Board of Supervisors.

Bob Dillon has been on the job 24 hours a day and seven days a week for 8 years, not only for Palm Springs but for his whole district. The undersigned members of "Dillon-for-Supervisor" committee admire Bob Dillon for his past record and his clean campaign and solicit your vote and influence on his behalf.

A. F. Hicks
Frank V. Shannon
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RE-ELECT BOB DILLON

His ONLY JOB for Eight Years Has Been Serving His District
We Cannot Afford to Lose Him!

When he was first elected the TAX RATE of Riverside County was \$3.40 It is now \$1.58 --a cut of \$1.82 since he has been on the job.

This has been done, too, in the face of unprecedented rising costs in county government.



HE HAS PAVED many Palm Springs streets and highways, co-operated in local health program, sewer, flood control, airport; and created the new Palm Springs Township.

Bob has given this community value received for the trust and confidence we have reposed in him in the past.

Read What Others Think of Our Supervisor

JOSEPH FREISHMAN, president of the Associated Weekly Newspapers of Riverside County, and editor of the Elsinore Leader-Press, published the following comment in his newspaper:

"The sincerity, leadership, and good common sense displayed by Mr. Dillon has been a source of praise from the entire county. In all of his efforts he has taken into consideration the good of the entire county. Residents of the Fourth District would make no mistake in retaining him at the Primaries Tuesday, August 30. They are fortunate in having a man of his calibre to represent their district."

Dr. Guy Bogart
Beaumont, California
August 23, 1933

To the Fourth District Voters:

Supervisor Robert E. Dillon, elected in the primaries eight years ago and four years ago, will repeat this record with increased majorities.

The report being circulated that he will not carry his home precincts in Beaumont is without foundation. In 1934 he carried Beaumont against two opponents more than four to one. This month he will do better than that. Practically the entire vote will be his.

My statement is based on a careful study of the situation and talks with hundreds of voters, as well as fourteen years acquaintance with Beaumont affairs, including a term as mayor, five years as president of the Chamber of Commerce, four years on the county central committee and in other capacities, giving me opportunity to judge in such matters.

I have known Supervisor Robert E. Dillon intimately for fourteen years and know his standing in his home precincts before and since he entered the political field.

The Mayor of Beaumont, councilmen, Chamber of Commerce leaders and the rank and file alike of voters are expressing confidence in Supervisor Dillon and working hard not merely to reelect him in the primaries but to give him an appreciative vote of confidence.

This community backs Bob Dillon for the clean, clear-cut campaign he is conducting and we honor him that he has never given preference to his home community over other parts of his large district.

GUY BOGART

Cherry Valley, Beaumont, Calif.
August 22nd, 1933

To The Banning Record,
Banning, Calif.

Gentlemen:

It has come to my notice, that a rumor is being circulated, that Mr. Robert Dillon in his candidacy for Supervisor of the Fourth District, will not carry his home district of Beaumont.

As one of the larger ranch operators of Cherry Valley, I am in a fair position to judge of the attitude in this portion of the district.

The feeling is that Mr. Dillon has been in the past, an efficient and impartial Supervisor, giving full and equitable service to all parts of the Fourth District and will undoubtedly carry this area by a large majority.

Sincerely yours,

R. H. STRICKLAND

Supervisor Dillon is responsible for the construction work now under way on the Banning-Idyllwild road, and it was through his efforts that the county prison camp has been moved to this road. He has consistently tried to induce the state legislature to include this road in the state's secondary highway system, and he has sought the aid of the U. S. Forest Service in building that portion of the road in the forest reserve. That he is meeting with success is shown by the following excerpt from a letter he received recently from U. S. FOREST SUPERVISOR WILLIAM V. JONES:

"It is quite probable I can secure a few units of dirt moving machinery to place at the county's disposal for use on the Banning-Idyllwild road. I am particularly anxious to assist the county in opening up the San Jacinto mountain recreational area, which I heartily agree with you is a highly valuable asset to Riverside county."

WILLIAM V. JONES,
Forest Supervisor.

CARL BARKOW, editor of The Desert Sun of Palm Springs, published the following in his "Sun Spots" column:

"Mr. Dillon has proven himself a friend of Palm Springs and the entire desert area. He is not influenced by any groups in Hemet or Riverside and therefore owes no political debts outside his district.

"The voter should keep in mind that the fourth district is the largest supervisorial district in the county and it is therefore very necessary that the supervisor should devote his entire time to the job. Mr. Dillon has done this for the past eight years, and he will continue to do so, for he retired from all other business when he took office. He has the majority of the board of supervisors with him, which is also important for a supervisor if he is to accomplish the most for his district.

"Dillon is extremely conscientious and energetic and is constantly on the job. We can see no reason why he should be replaced."

HOMER KING, editor of the strongly Democratic Hemet News, and himself one of the outstanding Democratic editors of California, endorses the candidacy of Supervisor Robert E. Dillon, who is a Republican. The office is non-partisan.

Says Editor King:

"It is probably no concern of The News, but for seven years Bob's district included about half of the Hemet-San Jacinto territory and our people remember that he was considerate of the needs of this section and was responsible for the notable road-building program started about six years ago.

"Eight years of service has given Bob Dillon a thorough knowledge of county problems and his record for impartiality and consideration of the needs of the people entitle him to the support of the voters of his district. His many friends on this side of the mountains will wish him the best of luck. With Bob his district has always come first. He has not 'sold out' to the city of Riverside."

ROBERT EMMETT DILLON

Was born in Missouri, on a farm, Jan. 10, 1878. Educated in public schools and State Normal and taught school until he answered the call to the Spanish-American War. He served three years, one in the Philippine Islands. He arrived in Los Angeles in 1900 and was in Federal Service in postoffice department for 15 years. Spent one year in U.S.C. Law School. With Standard Oil company 14 years, twelve and one-half as agent. Was elected Supervisor Aug. 30, 1930 with safe majority at the primary. Reelected Aug. 29, 1934, winning again over two candidates in the primary. Member of the United States War Veterans and first commander of the Banning-Beaumont Post Veterans of Foreign Wars. Mason and life-long leader in church activities. Candidate for reelection for third term, his platform being "My past performances are my future promises."

Banning Heights
August 20, 1933

I am very much surprised to see the degree of mud-slinging in this campaign—especially against one who has been an especially efficient and far-seeing official, our Supervisor Robert E. Dillon. His long residence as a pioneer of the Pass and his record for civic service and official good judgment make these accusations as to handling of county funds self-answering.

Supervisor Dillon has constructed a road on the Banning Heights which is second to none, and at the present time is extending that road a mile and one-half. This means to the ranchers an adequate and convenient outlet to get their fruits and crops to the markets.

I personally trust and commend Supervisor Dillon and believe all of the people on the Banning Heights will join me in this commendation of the very fine courtesy he has extended to us in all of the conversations at home and here.

I think Robert E. Dillon can safely rely on the voters of the Bench to support him 100 percent. Parenthetically, we hope the Banning Heights highway is not included in those "private roads" Supervisor Dillon is accused of building whenever he builds an outlet for farmers to take their fruit to the market.

JOHN E. MINNEY
Banning Heights

CHARLES H. BRYSON, Riverside County Council Commander Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, declared that war veterans of Riverside County's fourth district are rallying to the support of Supervisor Dillon.

"An Americanism unsullied by intolerance in any form is the test of patriotism," Bryson said. "Supervisor Dillon has proved his patriotism and his tolerance. He is a past commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States. He has just completed eight years of honest, successful business efficiency in the office of Supervisor, fourth district, Riverside County."

HARVEY JOHNSON, former Supervisor of the Fourth District, and editor of The Banning Record says:

"During the six years of my incumbency the duties of county supervisor mounted with the increase in population. But, times were fair in those days, and much of the 'grief' of the present day was lacking. The job of Supervisor of Riverside County today is beset by demands and problems which require experience. There is no substitute for experience.

"Bob' Dillon has had eight years of 'hard schooling.' Without reflecting upon the ability of any other candidate for this office I know by long observation that experience in any public office is a valuable asset to taxpayers and to the people as a whole."

Beaumont, California,
August 24, 1933.

Bob Dillon is our choice for reelection as County Supervisor at the primary election. We base this on his record as a citizen and official. During the 22 years we have had dealings with him—for more than a dozen years in charge of the Standard Oil Station and during two terms as Supervisor—we have come to know him as a business man and as a public-spirited citizen.

We know from personal observation that he has been for the community as a whole, and that he has worked in fairness to all for his whole district, a bigger territory than any one of at least three eastern states.

His conduct in office has been open and above board and every person in his district has had sympathetic access to him at all times; while his clean conduct of his campaign commends itself to us.

Beaumont has always been strongly favorable to Robert E. Dillon, and never more so than in 1933. Almost a quarter of a century in San Geronimo Pass, with two terms on the job as Supervisor has shown he is dependable, capable, initiated in the county's business, honest, friendly—and he should again be elected.

LAURA STEWART,
CLARA STEWART.

(Authorized Political Announcement)

"Squeeze Politics Out of Roads"

Editor Desert Sun:

You hear the above and read it in all of W. F. (Fred) Roberge's advertising—in other words, he accuses our present Supervisor Robert E. Dillon of using roads to play politics, which we believe is untrue. At least it is in our case. We have been endeavoring to get Mr. Dillon for eight years to give us money out of the gas tax appropriation to pay off our bonds in District No. 8, LaMesa Miravilla, but Mr. Dillon says it would be unfair to the rest of his district to do this, as it is no obligation of the people who live in Banning and Coachella Valley to pay for our roads.

But along comes Mr. Roberge and says if he is elected, I am informed, he will give us \$2,000 per year for four years (or \$8,000), to pay off our indebtedness on the bond issue in Road District No. 8. Now we have only about 16 votes in our community, even if we give them all to Mr. Roberge; and even if I should benefit I do not believe Mr. Roberge could accomplish this if he were elected. And, even if he could, we know Mr. Dillon, and know him to be a man of sterling character and a square shooter, as his demonstrated ability has shown in eight years.

He has been fair, honest and open in all of his dealings, and, in fairness to all, he should be retained. We prefer him above all others, even though we, the people of Road District No. 8 may lose in a monetary way.

Now, I ask you who is putting politics into roads? I leave the question with you.

Bob Dillon has conducted a clean campaign and we respect him for it.

K. P. BOULTON

Manager Kenhill Orchards in Beaumont.

Dillon's Home Town For Him 90%

Beaumont, Calif.
August 22, 1938

Editor Desert Sun:

To the Malcontents of your fair City passing judgment relative to the outcome of the votes as will be cast in the Beaumont area on the ensuing primary election in favor of returning R. E. Dillon.

Being in your city on Saturday, August 20th, I was accosted with the propaganda that the citizens of the Beaumont area were not backing R. E. Dillon for reelection and that he would not carry his home district.

Being a citizen of Beaumont it is only right to correctly inform the citizens of Banning that the assertions referred to are made under misapprehension of facts.

Let the good citizens not be misled. The people of Beaumont know Mr. Dillon, they know of his fairness to all sections of his district and the County. He has made an honest, efficient and valuable official. It is important to Riverside County that the electors of the Fourth Supervisorial District keep him in office.

Rest assured that after votes are counted in the Beaumont sector Mr. Dillon will register not less than 90% of the total.

E. D. STAHL

Secretary Beaumont Irrigation District.

August 20, 1938

Mr. R. E. Dillon, Supervisor, Fourth District, Riverside County, Beaumont, California.

Dear Bob:

May I have the pleasure of complimenting you on the successful campaign which you are waging?

In the face of an intense campaign to unseat you, it is certainly a pleasure to me, as it undoubtedly is to all the citizens of Beaumont, to see you daily making decided gains. Whereas a short time ago I was reasonably certain that you would carry Beaumont by a nice majority. I am now convinced that your majority will be at least three to one—or even greater.

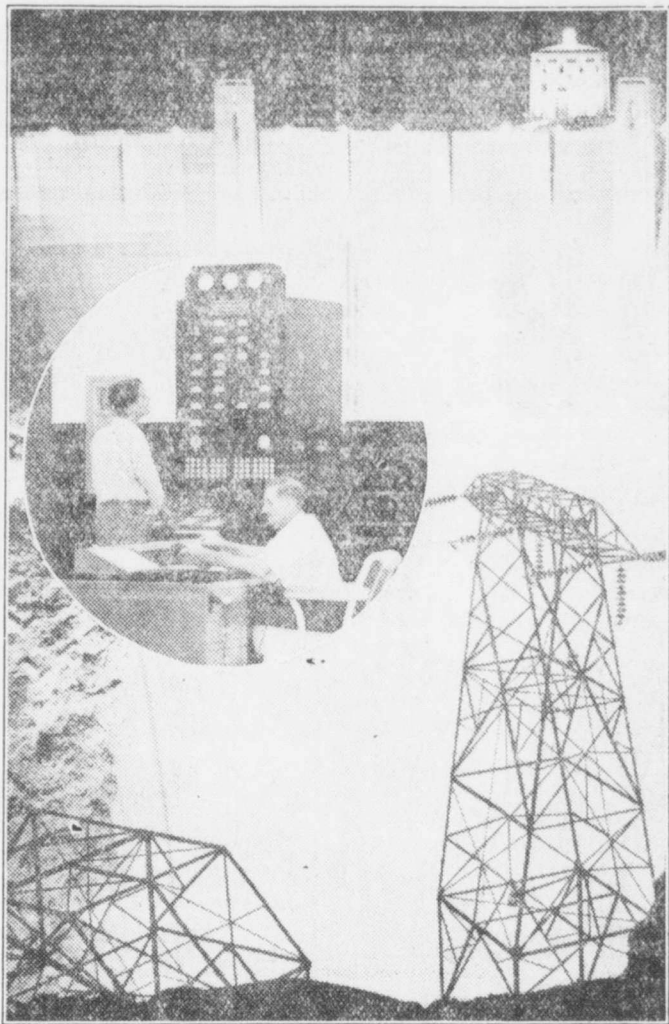
And this is as it should be. We here in Beaumont have become so accustomed to "Call Bob" whenever we wanted something done which required the assistance of the county that we had begun to take you as a matter of course. This opportunity of showing our appreciation to you for your many kindnesses to us and for the prestige which you have given to Beaumont is one which we do not intend to overlook.

Please accept my hearty congratulations in advance on your splendid victory. I'll see you on the 30th!

Sincerely yours,

MYRL E. BECK

BOULDER DAM POWER ONE YEAR OLD



Operators Watts and Bowman (inset) are shown in the central control room of Boulder Dam as they finished supervising the first year's production of power. The unusual night photo at the face of Boulder Dam (above) shows Nevada-California Electric lines which carry the power to Coachella Valley. Chief Operator Watts is well known in the valley, having built much of the local Nev-Cal system.

Palm Springs and Coachella Valley this week marked the completion of the first year's use of power from Boulder Dam.

One year ago this week, the Bureau of Reclamation notified Nevada-California Electric that it was ready to deliver water from the top of Boulder Dam to the giant 55,000 horsepower generator in the Nev-Cal power house.

A few minutes later H. O. Watts, Nev-Cal's chief operator at the dam, threw a control switch and sent the first Boulder Dam power surging into Coachella Valley.

The local power concern generates its own power at the dam. The government sells falling water for the million dollar Nev-Cal generator.

In charge of power generation at the dam is H. O. Watts, who is well known in Coachella Valley. He has been in charge of much construction work for the Nev-Cal here.

While the Nev-Cal line has been used to bring Boulder Dam power to the Valley for only one year, it was built in 1931 to supply power for construction of the gigantic Boulder Canyon project. This 221 miles line is of steel construction, and operates at 138,000 volts.

Completion of Boulder Dam climaxed a long campaign by citizens of Southern California. Coachella Valley is scheduled to receive water from Boulder Dam through a branch of the All-American canal now under construction.

Boulder Dam will be paid for entirely by the agencies which distribute its power. Nevada-California Electric subscribed for its share of Boulder power at a time when construction of the dam was being held up awaiting power contracts.

SUPERVISOR DILLON'S SPEECH FLAYS RED COMMUNISM

County Supervisor Robert E. Dillon addressing a crowd of several hundred people gathered last evening in International Bowl attending the 2nd annual open air smoker held each year under the auspices of the American Club and the Veterans of Foreign Wars, severely criticized agents of Communism who are working more or less openly in our community poisoning the minds of our youth in schools and colleges where in many cases the teachers themselves are proponents of the doctrines of Mark and Lenin, while under the false banners of the "brotherhood of man" and internationalism well-meaning but misled prominent men and women are lending their support to forces that are definitely opposed to all established principles of good clean government.

In his constant attack on the Red menace, Mr. Dillon said "The tide-waters of red Communism are undermining the foundations of our most sacred and priceless possessions—individual liberty, human freedom, the Constitution itself and American ideals of equality and justice. The glorious principles of this democratic form of government are today being torn from their high standard by the defiling hands of alien-born radicalism, for there is no class or group of our social structure today that is untouched by the vicious, insidious propaganda emanating from red Moscow."

At the conclusion of Supervisor Dillon's address a thunderous ovation roared from the crowd to the War Veteran Supervisor, who recently was voted the most popular county official in veteran circles.

(Political Advertisement)

This Message is Addressed To YOU

Regardless of where you live in Palm Springs Township, or what you do, you are interested in the sound and orderly administration of Justice, with equal consideration to all, and partiality toward none.

To these principles, I give you my pledge, and respectfully solicit your support and vote at the Primary Election on August 30th.

ELECT

ALBERT R. HOFFMAN

Justice of the Peace
Palm Springs Township.

Contributed by friends of Judge Albert R. Hoffman.

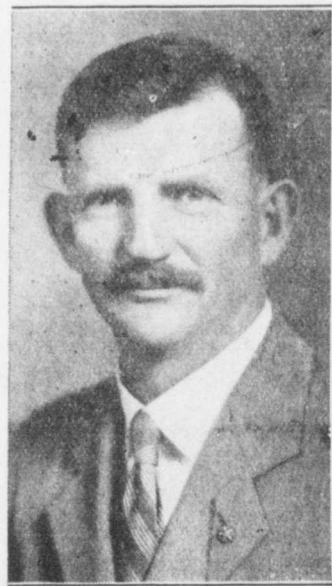
NINE BABIES BORN TO MOTHER AT SNAKEVILLE

Snakeville, midway between Banning and Cabazon, reports an increase in its reptile population. A sidewinder during the past week gave birth to nine lively little snakelets. Mother and children are doing well.

The sidewinder, a variety of rattlesnake, delivers its young. Some varieties of snakes lay eggs.

Jack Williams, reator, has purchased a new Oldsmobile 8 four-door Club Sedan. Mr. and Mrs. Williams and family have spent most of the summer at Idyllwild so Councilman Williams could be near at hand to attend the city council meetings here.

Mrs. Eve Kopp, who arrived here last March from West Los Angeles, is the charming secretary in the Austin G. McManus Realty office. She came to Southern California from Grosse Point, Michigan, a suburb of Detroit. Her daughter, Marie Kathryn, will graduate from University High School at Los Angeles, in February, and will then attend university at Ann Arbor, Michigan. The McManus office is in the Herbert Carpenter building, occupied last season by Mills' Indian Shop, while his main office across the street is being remodeled by Contractor William R. Atkin.



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Candidate for renomination at the Republican primary.

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RE-ELECT

J. F. REIMER

(Incumbent)

CANDIDATE FOR

County Treasurer

Your Support at August 30th Primary Will Be Greatly Appreciated.

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Re-Elect

EARL REDWINE

(Incumbent)

District Attorney

Keep this most important County Office in safe and experienced hands.

Primary Election Tuesday, August 30, 1938.

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RE-ELECT

Robert E. Dillon

(Incumbent)

SUPERVISOR 4th DISTRICT

Loyal--Faithful--Fair

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Economic Highlights

For a time it seemed that the Russo-Japanese incident on the Siberian-Manchukuo border might mark the beginning of the long-feared second "World War." That could have easily happened—as every European observer knows, Hitler would be almost certain to invade the Ukraine if the Soviet became engaged in major hostilities on its far Eastern frontier. As a result, the truce came as a welcome surprise to a war-frightened world.

Thus, on the face of it, the "incident" was of little significance. All it involved was a territorial dispute, concerning whether Japan or Russia was the rightful owner of a small area of little populated and practically barren land. The Russians claimed the area, using as evidence old Tsarist maps. Japan disputed the accuracy of these maps, and hostilities followed. Culminating military phase of the month-long engagement, which claimed about five thousand lives according to unofficial reports, was a Russian artillery barrage of the Japanese positions which observers characterized as the most severe seen in the world since 1918.

If you go beyond the surface however, the incident takes on considerably more importance. It demonstrated two things of great significance. First, the U.S.S.R. is ready and willing to fight, when no other solution seems present, and at the same time is eager to conclude its disputes peacefully if it can. Second, it demonstrated the great military and economic weaknesses of the Son of Heaven's little Empire.

As one news commentator said, the upshot of the "incident" was a sweeping military and diplomatic defeat for the Nippon. It is reliably reported that high Japanese officers reported to their Emperor that they lacked the supplies and men for waging even a brief war in the Manchukuo-Siberian territory. The Chinese aggression—which is dragging on month after month, has made a mockery of Japanese expectations of a quick and easy victory—and has drained the empire dry. As a consequence, the Japanese had the humiliating experience of submitting almost in their entirety to Soviet Foreign Commissar Litvinoff's terms of settlement. The Japanese government—for the time being at least—has accepted the Russian view of the dividing lines. Official Japanese government statements attempt to cover this up—but it is a fact, as reference to your atlas will demonstrate.

What does all this mean, so far as the possibilities of peace and war are concerned? It means that one of Germany's two allies, upon whom Hitler must depend if his expansion policies are to bear fruit, has her hands so full of trouble now that she is unwilling and unable to take on any more. It means that Russia, with her gigantic machine and her implacable hatred of the Nazis and Fascists, still holds the balance of power in Europe and Western Asia. It means that at least one of the great anti-Fascist powers is prepared to meet force with more force.

Looking elsewhere, there are other signs to indicate that the designs of the Fascists are far from materializing. A few months ago it seemed that the fall of the Spanish government was imminent. Franco, with his Italian troops and his German planes and munitions, was advancing almost unchecked. Today the government has rallied, has regained lost territory, and is again on the offensive. In spite of incredible horrors, the spirit of the population in government territory seems to have gained rather than lost in vigor. Franco still has the upper hand—but the experts are saying that he cannot possibly win this year, and that if the recently signed pact whereby Mussolini pledged himself to withdraw Italian troops from Spain is observed, his chances of ultimate victory will be immeasurably lessened.

Germany is rattling the saber at Czechoslovakia—but there has been a notable stiffening of spines in France, which leads to the view that actual German aggression of Czech territory is unlikely, and would be extremely foolhardy.

Summing up, the Fascists and the Nazis are still making the most noise—but they aren't showing results. Big question mark remains England—where the tottery Chamberlain government continues to play both ends against the middle. Recent surveys indicate that England has lost a colossal amount of prestige in this country.

Elect Clarence L. Templeton Constable, Palm Springs Township. Adv.

Migrant Drive Gains Force In State

More than 100,000 persons have signed petitions demanding federal action on California's pressing migrant situation.

In addition, organizations, whose membership runs into thousands, have endorsed the program of the California Citizens' Association. These include labor unions, American Legion posts, farm bureaus, chambers of commerce and other service and civic groups.

Although there has been a falling-off in the number of migrants now here are exacting a terrific price from California resident labor, according to Thomas W. McManus, secretary of the association.

"Already they are encroaching on the wage structure. Farm wages are off 5 to 10 cents an hour, and in the oilfields migrants are offering to work for as little as one-sixth the going scale," McManus said.

McManus is touring the state in the interest of the drive that seeks to have federal agencies care for migrants in their home state instead of in California where, after a 12-month period, they become eligible for state relief and a burden on California taxpayers.

"Aside from the direct cost of relief, there are the additional burdens of schooling, hospitalization and welfare," he said.

Union labor throughout the state is taking a positive stand with the Citizens' Association in efforts to keep California jobs for Californians.

McManus scored placement of non-resident migrants on WPA jobs as a ruinous policy that would ultimately saddle the state with a permanent indigent load out of all proportion to the state's population.

"This WPA job policy and the policy of the Farm Security Administration is giving migrants a dole of groceries, enabling them to stay here until they have achieved residence, after which they become California's responsibility."

He pointed out that indigency is a lien against the property of a state and that indigents of one state have no right to try to transfer that lien to the property holders of another state. "No more so," he continued, "than a migrant would have the right to come to your house and say—'Move over, me and the wife and six young ones have come to live with you.'"

Thrifty 5 & 10 Store Opens Monday

The Thrifty 5 and 10-cent store, at the corner of Palm Canyon and Amado Road, will open Monday for the season, with a stock of merchandise about double of that carried last season.

Kenneth DuBose, the owner, greatly enlarged the store this summer by leasing the store on the east and uniting the two into one store. New shelving and fixtures were installed. By being able to purchase in much larger quantities, Mr. DuBose can now operate on the same basis as the large 5-and-10-cent stores in the cities.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin W. Goodloe of Indian Trail are vacationing at San Diego. Mr. Goodloe is office manager for the McManus Realty Co. Mr. and Mrs. Austin G. McManus are at the Mira Mar in Santa Monica and will return here soon.

State Highway Dept. Trims Trees on Palm Canyon Drive

A state highway crew is trimming the trees along Palm Canyon Drive. Recently Jerry Sanborn, street superintendent, requested the State to take care of the trees, and the request was granted.

The trees were planted some years ago by a committee of the Chamber of Commerce, headed by the late Dr. J. J. Kocher, and the committee had the assistance of County Supervisor Robert E. Dillon, who donated the palo verde trees from county funds.

The trees have all passed the critical stage and are now making rapid growth. The bloom this spring was more profuse than ever before.


Redwine Fights Granting of Parole To Mrs. Northcott

Granting of a parole to Mrs. Louise Northcott, convicted several years ago of the chicken-ranch murder of 11-year-old Walter Collins of Riverside, was opposed last week by District Attorney Earl Redwine of Riverside county.

Redwine filed with the parole board of the California Institution for Women a thirty-two-volume transcript of the Northcott trial in 1928.

Mrs. Northcott was sentenced to life imprisonment and her son, Gordon Stewart Northcott, died on the gallows for the Collins slaying.

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- Industrial Peace by Mediation.

VOTE FOR
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CHARLEY HILL TELLS OF BREAKING RIB WHILE RESTING IN BED

Charley Hill of the Lone Palm was in the village Wednesday with the story of how he broke a rib recently while in bed.


Mr. Hill has been ill all summer. About a week ago, while in bed, he started coughing. He coughed so hard that he cracked a rib.

A cracked rib is a serious thing, and besides that Mr. Hill has probably established some kind of a record in breaking a rib while in bed, yet he is very modest about the whole affair and looks at it philosophically. In fact, he is making a joke out of his injury.

No matter what the calendar says, you've started down the hill towards the setting sun when your doctor checks you over and issues instructions which amount to telling you that you must virtually quit living in order to keep from dying.

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RETAIN

WILLIAM G. BONELLI
YOUR DISTRICT MEMBER
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Don't gamble with your vote when public morals are at stake.
BONELLI
SAYS:
KEEP liquor away from minors.
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KEEP down the number of liquor licenses.
KEEP liquor away from churches, schools, playgrounds and residential areas.
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and many other organizations. Thousands of ministers, business men, labor leaders, teachers and fathers and mothers in all walks of life are supporting WILLIAM G. BONELLI and his policy of
STRICT LIQUOR LAW ENFORCEMENT

Well, anyway, the upturn has begun in millinery. We sat behind a woman in a motion picture theatre who wore a hat that looked like a frying pan trimmed with a shingle sticking straight up in front.

The cemeteries are full of people who thought the world couldn't get along without them.

"One must travel 450 thousand miles on an American railroad in order to get killed in an accident."—From railroad ad. It's one way of committing suicide, if you are in no particular hurry.

Pay telephone bills before the 25th and receive discount. tf

(Political Advertisement)

It Speaks For Itself

(RIVERSIDE PRESS)

In order to clear up any misunderstanding which might exist regarding the statements of Attorney General U. S. Webb concerning law enforcement in Riverside county, we present details of the entire matter for the benefit of our readers.

On April 17, 1937, the Associated Press and the United Press, both of which furnish news to the Press and Enterprise, sent out an interview with Attorney General Webb, which was printed in newspapers throughout California, and because it referred especially to Riverside county, was used as a front page story in the Press. The Associated Press story quoted Webb as follows:

"At present Riverside and Santa Clara counties are next to Los Angeles in variety and extent of gambling. Of the 58 counties of California, 51 are practically clean of organized gambling. Present state laws are rigid enough, if they are enforced. Gambling devices which offer a pay-off are illegal. Their operation must be stopped.

"Los Angeles is a lush pasture for every form of crooked gambling, and is a mecca of eastern big-time gamblers. Los Angeles county is a hot bed of gambling in all its forms, and is the worst spot in the state. Riverside is another county that hasn't cleaned up gambling, and Santa Clara is another.

"This is no penny ante problem, for the pin, marble and other gambling machine 'take' exceeds \$30,000,000 in the state. So-called pin and marble games, which pay off in money, are illegal under state law, regardless of any municipal licensing provisions. We intend to prosecute on this basis, regardless of previous local laxity.

"I am especially determined to drive out these slot machines and marble games. They are under the public nose and many of those who play them as 'suckers' are the persons who can ill afford to lose the money. They become a disease and I'm going to see that law enforcement officers cure that disease and cure it permanently.

"In San Francisco, receipts of the games reach as high as \$500,000 per week. These games are going to be closed as long as I have anything to do with law enforcement. This is going to be a permanent cleanup and not only gambling, but other existing vices must be knocked out."

In November, 1937, members of the Riverside county grand jury, then in session, conferred with the Attorney General, and in response to a direct question by A. A. Piddington, editor of this newspaper, Webb denied that he had made the above statements. His denial was made in the presence of other members of the grand jury committee, consisting of W. R. Graham, Lloyd Folsom and Mrs. Daisy Wing.

An editorial telling of his denial of the previous statements appeared in the Press of November 10 and the Enterprise of November 11, 1937.

Editor Piddington makes the following statement:

"During the early part of November, 1937, W. R. Graham, foreman of the grand jury, and his grand jury committee, composed of Lloyd Folsom of Riverside, A. A. Piddington, editor of the Riverside Daily Press, and Mrs. Daisy Wing of the city of Banning, met in conference in Los Angeles with Attorney General Webb. This conference was arranged upon the request of those meeting with the Attorney General.

"At this conference the Attorney General was informed of a news story appearing in the Riverside Daily Press during the month of April, 1937, which purported to quote the Attorney General on matters relating to gambling conditions in Riverside county. The Attorney General at that time and in the presence of those mentioned, stated to Editor Piddington that any such story was false and untrue and that he had never made such statements as the news story represents.

"Following this conference I returned to Riverside and wrote an editorial which appeared in the Riverside Daily Press under date of November 9, 1937, retracting the news story. This I did because the Attorney General had personally advised me that such news story did not state the facts and was not true."

Recently, there has been considerable argument between various candidates for the offices of District Attorney and Sheriff as to whether or not the statement was made by the Attorney General. We trust that the above statement will clear up the argument, as much as possible, in the light of the conflicting statements made by the Attorney General to the two press services and the local grand jury committee.

RE-ELECT CARL F. RAYBURN SHERIFF

State Will Improve Approaches to Whitewater Bridge

The Department of Public Works, State of California, is calling for bids for the construction of an earth dike with slope paving, to be constructed at Whitewater bridge.

When completed this accomplishment will add to the convenience and safety of travelers using this route at the bridge sector.

INDIGENTS PERIL, VETERANS TOLD AT LOS ANGELES

The Federal government is ignoring the State rights of California, Thomas McManus, secretary of the California Citizens' Association and Past Commander of Bakersfield Post of the American Legion, charged before the Legion Luncheon Club in Los Angeles.

"The Federal government is responsible for hundreds of thousands of indigents coming to this State," McManus said. "They stay here a year—then they are citizens, adding their burden of relief to the State."

"The State Relief Administration relief fund is near exhaustion. If this keeps up it will break down entirely the security of citizens of this State."

"It has been necessary for manufacturers and employers of the State to meet this influx. The result has been a breaking down of our wage standards. These indigents are willing to work for on one-third to one-sixth of the wage scale throughout the State—anything to get food and anything to stay here long enough to gain citizenship in the State."

"We've kept the wage scale here."

"As a result, indigents can come here, get on W.P.A. and make more than they ever made in their lives in their home sectors. Our wage scales in W.P.A. are two or three times as large as they are where these people come from."

"It is up to us to defend our legitimate California people—we can care, for them with old age pensions and relief, but certainly we can't take care of the indigents of other States."

Bonelli Thanks Voters for Their Support

"In this last week of my campaign for election to the State Board of Equalization, I want to express my sincere appreciation to the thousands of friends and the scores of organizations who are supporting me, for the effective work they are doing," said William G. Bonelli today. "The campaign, without exception, is being conducted on clear-cut issues and along clean and sportsmanlike lines without misrepresentation or mudslinging. The public has been awakened to the vital importance of this board, which can be a dominant factor in helping to solve some of our social welfare problems through proper enforcement of our liquor laws. Through administration of the sales tax this board is the guardian of the financial security of our school system, and through the gasoline tax, it insures the money for the splendid highway system of California."

"I am proud of the fact that an overwhelming majority of the endorsement of the business groups, civic groups, and of church leaders, veteran organizations, labor leaders, teachers, and people in all walks of life have rallied to my support. This indicates that the public has generally accepted the fact that the non-partisan and judicial nature of the work of this board must be handled with courtesy, impartiality, and efficiency apart from race, church, party or other consideration."

"The voters, whose approval I ask on August 30th, may rest assured that whatever I have in the way of qualifications by reason of training and experience will continue to be used by me independently, and I hope courageously, in their behalf for whatever time I continue as your member of the State Board of Equalization."

REPORT SHOWS EMPLOYMENT UP

Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins reported at Washington that factory employment increased by 40,000 in July and that weekly factory payrolls increased \$500,000.

Bank of America Grants \$4,000,000 Loan to California Peach Growers

W. J. Edinger, manager of the California Canning Peach Association, and L. M. Giannina, president of the Bank of America, Saturday jointly announced completion of a \$4,000,000 loan arrangement affecting 600 California growers of canning peaches.

The loan, the announcement said, will finance canning operations and furnish growers with necessary harvesting funds. "Marketing of the pack, estimated at 2,000,000 cases," the announcement added, "will be one of the important influences for stabilization of the industry."

John Phillips Secures New Quarantine Bldg. For Blythe

According to State Senator John Phillips of Banning, an item for the construction of a \$25,000 quarantine station and guest house at the state line near Blythe, has been included in the state of California's new budget, for the coming biennium.

This definite statement was secured from Senator Phillips at Riverside Monday, Aug. 15, by Grady Setzler, editor of the Palo Verde Valley Times.

Senator Phillips had just returned from Governor Merriam's summer capital at Long Beach, and had taken up the matter with the state's chief executive. Following the session between the two men, the governor assured Riverside county's legislator that funds for this structure definitely would be included in the new budget. Construction probably would start within the coming year.

The new station is to be similar in many details to the station at Fort Yuma, and will be of architecture harmonizing with the desert.

Blythe's new state building will house the department of plant quarantine, the state division of motor vehicles, and affiliated departments.

Fate is a grim joker. Recently a man hurrying to a safety council conference was killed when his car overturned on a curve.

Beaumont Votes For City Hall

By a count of 492 to 107, Beaumont voters Friday insured the construction of a new municipal building to cost \$27,000. Issuance of \$12,000 in bonds will be necessary to make the work possible.

Victory for backers of the building project, outnumbering objectors nearly six to one, was hailed by the blowing of the fire siren and a general celebration.

Three city voting precincts were combined for the election with all votes cast in the city hall. A total of 599 out of 1220 registered voters was cast. Of those registered, however, a great many are aqueduct workers who left the city.

The municipal building program was endorsed by the city council, the chamber of commerce and many civic leaders.

The county will appropriate \$3000 for jail equipment and the federal government will make a grant of \$12,500. Issuance of \$12,000 in bonds will provide the necessary total. The city's share of the cost will amount to less than one-half of the total amount.

Bonds to be issued will be taken by the government at par, to run for 10 years at four per cent interest.

It is estimated that 15 cents per \$100 of assessed valuation will be sufficient to carry payment and interest on the bonds with the rate decreasing from year to year.

The new municipal building will be of Spanish design, with great care being given to allow each department of city government adequate room.

Rooms will be provided for the police department, city clerk, city treasurer, women's jail, men's jail, stalls for fire trucks and police cars, court room, council chambers, city judge, city attorney and chamber of commerce.

All of the site, besides that occupied by the present city building, extending from Grace Avenue to California Avenue and from Fifth street to the alley at the rear, has been obtained by tax deed with the exception of a small parcel which is offered at a reasonable price.

The sum of \$27,000 provides for the site and furnishings for the building as well as for the cost of construction.

George Witt, who will be the teacher of commercial courses at the new Palm Springs High school, was recently married. He will bring his bride to Palm Springs before school opens in September.

ONE COUNTY IN STATE HAS NO BARBER SHOPS

Not a single barber shop plies his trade in Alpine county.

Residents of this little county on the Nevada border either cut their own locks with a "sawbowl" or drive into a neighboring county or Nevada to visit a licensed barber.

C. E. Rynearson, secretary of the state board of barber examiners, revealed this interesting sidelight on the barber business today when he issued a warning that the deadline for renewal of barber and barber shop licenses is August 31.

Los Angeles county with 5959 bar-

bers working in 2999 shops, easily leads the other counties. San Francisco is second with 2269 barbers in 926 shops. Alameda county is third with 2346 barbers and 797 shops.

Excepting Alpine with its total lack of the barbering trade, Trinity county has only one shop and four barbers follow honors. Mono county has only four barbers, but two shops.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hargrave and family spent a two weeks' vacation at Long Beach and Catalina. Mr. Hargrave is employed by the Southern Pacific Railway and the Hargraves are living at Edom.

(Political Advertisement)

Democrats of California!

At the Primary of August 30, vote for and nominate the only Democratic candidate for United States Senator who can be elected when nominated.

JOHN W. PRESTON



Life-long Democrat; for forty years a resident of California; 30 years public service; personal appointee of President Roosevelt; the man who knows the state and its needs. California will continue to select her own representative at Washington.

DEAR MAC ADIEU
AND UPSIDE DOWNEY, TOO!

(Political Advertisement)

An Experienced Sound Californian

Determined that Communism shall Not obtain a foothold in California Government.

Elect

Senator Jerrold L.

SEAWELL

Lieutenant Governor

His Record of 10 years as a member of the State Legislature has won the CONFIDENCE of EMPLOYEE and EMPLOYER alike.

There Is No Substitute For Experience

(Political Advertisement)

RETAIN

HARRY B. RILEY

State Controller



Born in California, 1888; for two terms City Clerk and two terms Commissioner of Finance in Long Beach; member State Legislature from Los Angeles County three terms; now State Controller.

HARRY B. RILEY
STATE CONTROLLER



(Political Advertisement)

STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION



Wm. G. BONELLI
(Incumbent)

Don't Gamble With Your Vote When Morals Are at Stake

Here are some of the representative citizens of Riverside county, some Democrat and some Republican, who unqualifiedly endorse the candidacy of Wm. G. Bonelli for member of the State Board of Equalization from the Fourth District, which includes Riverside county.

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| BANNING—Robert N. Berlin, Raymond J. Trudeau, Clemens A. Sweeters, Chester K. Hendricks, John Phillips. | SAN JACINTO—Sherman E. Lewis. |
| PALM SPRINGS—Charles G. Chamberlin, O. E. Coffman. | GILMAN HOT SPRINGS—W. E. Gilman, Jr. |
| BEAUMONT — W. A. Brazie, Donovan T. Cartwright, F. D. West, M. D. | MURRIETA HOT SPRINGS—Hugo Guenther. |
| ARLINGTON — J. W. Wells, N. S. Elder. | INDIO — James E. Pippin, Francis A. Purcell, E. J. Brunkley. |
| CORONA — A. E. Ganahl, F. W. Kuster, F. E. Snidecor, C. Gully, G. M. Emerson, Pearl Tucker, Henri E. Hoppe. | COACHELLA—Paul D. Kelley. |
| ELSIENORE—Nikolas Matick, H. A. Townsend. | MECCA—D. J. Foulkes, Leiland Yost. |
| PERRIS — W. G. Stewart, A. M. Hansen. | BLYTE—Clyde Glenn. |
| HEMET—Harry B. Wells, Gilbert J. Spence, J. C. Loomis, J. R. Bell. | GRADY SETZLER, R. G. Eberhart, A. E. Campbell, R. A. Grant, F. B. Manush. |
| | RIVERSIDE — C. E. Bell, A. M. Lewis, R. A. Weedon, Hugh S. Rawlings, Emmett L. Singletary, Joe Tavaglione, J. E. Killian, O. R. Patterson. |



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4. Terms as low as \$4.39 a month
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Soon it will be too late to profit by this sale. It's important to place your order right away. No down payment is required, and you need not make a monthly payment till October.

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SALE INCLUDES THESE APPLIANCES. They are the really ideal means for keeping the home beautiful and comfortable. They are rented. Fresh air is drawn in, warmed and circulated.



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District Attorney Redwine Is Busy Official

Recently, and as time has permitted, District Attorney Earl Redwine has been visiting the various communities of the County in connection with his candidacy for re-election. However, the District Attorney desires to point out that it is impossible for him to personally contact all of the voters in the County, and the cost involved to hire paid canvassers is prohibitive.

"The volume of legal work, for the County and State, handled by the District Attorney does not conveniently step during election periods, but on the contrary increases," Mr. Redwine said, "and we shall, as we always have, continue to handle the work of this office in the same workmanlike manner as at other times."

"While this condition precludes the opportunity of calling upon each elector personally, we do desire to say to you that we keenly appreciate the support and cooperation of the law-abiding and forward-looking citizens of Riverside County which we have continually enjoyed and which has assisted us in establishing and maintaining Riverside County among the leading counties of the State in the field of successful criminal prosecution."

Mr. Redwine has been singularly commended by U. S. Webb, Attorney General, for his capable and effective handling of the office of District Attorney in Riverside County.

SUN SPOTS

these is the incumbent, and has filled the office satisfactorily, he deserves the vote, according to all rules of good business. It doesn't seem right that a conscientious and efficient public official should be replaced by an untried and inexperienced office seeker, and the county put to the expense of training a new man and his deputies. Of course, when an official isn't the right man for the job, he should be replaced.

There have been some misleading statements in this campaign. One of them is directed against the county tax collector, Charles R. Stibbens. He is accused of having his family on the county payroll in his office. The funny part about this is, Mr. Stibbens has no family, excepting a wife. For a number of years, during the peak season when the money came into the tax collector's office in every shape, manner and form, Mrs. Stibbens assisted her husband part time, without pay from the county. Later, when he was granted a deputy for this purpose, he employed Mrs. Stibbens, part time, to open his mail during the two tax-paying periods only. Mr. Stibbens has to collect a few million dollars for the county every year. He is held personally responsible for the collection of this money, much of which arrives by mail in the form of currency, coins, and even postage stamps. Certainly, under such circumstances, there should be no criticism if he employs his wife to open his mail, for he must have some one in whom he can have unbounded confidence to perform this work.

A district attorney who holds the highest record in the state in percentage of convictions he has obtained,

Our Boys and Girls

(By Dr. W. C. Gunnerson)
Superintendent Banning Union High School.

A SUMMER'S GROWTH

Some of the students who come back to school September 12 will be inches taller and pounds heavier than when we saw them last in June. Changes in voice and figure scarcely noticeable when in daily contact will be so apparent as to cause exclamations of surprise from teachers and classmates who have been separated through the summer. Of course, many of the students will come back outwardly unchanged, or with so little physical change as not to be noticeable. All of this is adolescence.

But the summer's growth is not all of the body. The change from Freshman to Sophomore, from Sophomore to Junior, and from Junior to Senior brings an added dignity in many cases that is as striking as is physical growth. And this is as it should be. "New occasions teach new duties; time makes ancient good uncouth," and the responsibilities of class tradition and conduct rest on new shoulders. That these responsibilities sometimes rest too lightly is just one of the many things that those of us who deal habitually with this most charming and fascinating creature of high school age have learned to accept.

There are other changes that a summer brings. There is growth in maturity and in ability. It is somehow as if the fields of the mind by lying fallow through the summer have attained new powers and new strength. Along with this deepening and

ed, certainly deserves to be kept on the job. We have reason to be proud of Earl Redwine, and it wouldn't look very good for this county if we didn't show our appreciation by giving him a big vote of approval.

strengthening, however, has come in most cases a factual forgetting that causes painful lack of adjustment in the first few weeks of school. Teachers and pupils alike ought to be aware of this situation and help each other to make the needed adjustment. Where are the forms the French or Spanish or Latin student knew in June? How good an examination could the present Senior pass in U. S. History "finished" in June? Can the new Sophomore do the factoring or solve the equations that he could last year, or the Junior prove the geometrical theorems that seemed easy then? Yes, all these come back if time and circumstances permit; but a period of adjustment is needed and the pupils should realize in September that he hasn't lost all ground gained because he seems to have forgotten so much. For all the apparent losses there are compensating gains.

COYOTES WITH "PEG LEGS" MORE CRAFTY, DECLARE SCIENTISTS

Warnings against the "peg leg coyote" have been issued by the University of California, who have decided that the famed marauder is a "Big Bad Wolf" of the barnyards with no apologies to Walt Disney.

"Peg legs" are coyotes that have lost a foot or part of a leg after being nipped by an imperfectly set trap. U. of C. scientists have discovered the handicap has made howling roost robbers wiser and lazier, with the result that they scorn fleet-footed wild game and concentrate on domestic livestock.

COUNTY BASIC TAX RATE OF \$1.58 MADE OFFICIAL

The county's basic tax rate of \$1.58 became official Monday by action of the board of supervisors, in approving a formal resolution setting the tax rate.

The reduction as compared with last year's rate amounts to 22 cents.

Elect Templeton Constable.

(Political Advertisement)

KEEP AN ECONOMICAL Administration of the COUNTY TAX COLLECTOR'S OFFICE

By Re-Electing **C. R. STIBBENS**

This important office has been operated at no increase in operating expense in five years despite 25 per cent heavier work. Study these figures showing the comparative duties and cost of four counties of comparable size:

County	Bills	Budget
Riverside	61,682	\$22,386
Kern	34,314	33,280
San Joaquin	49,000	32,298
Orange	70,076	43,172

If You Want Economical, Honest, Courteous and Trustworthy Administration of This Important Department of The County Government Then Vote To Keep

C. R. STIBBENS
as
COUNTY TAX COLLECTOR

(Political Advertisement)

Put a Trained and Experienced Man in the County Treasurer's Office.



R. W. (Bob)
BUSH
Candidate for
COUNTY TREASURER

20 years banking, accounting and business administration. Resident of Riverside County 16 years and county taxpayer.

Primary Election August 30

125 CASES OF BEER TO AID CAMPAIGNING FOR MAX RANSOM

Tom Lippe is giving a big party (with plenty of free beer for everyone) Monday evening, August 29, at Jack's Barn. The affair is being given in honor of Max Ransom, candidate for constable of the newly formed Palm Springs township.

Max states that everyone is invited to attend his party and that men and women alike are welcome. The "political party" is scheduled to commence at 5:00 p. m.

The invitation reads—

INVITATION
You are Cordially Invited to Attend a TOM LIPPE PARTY for MAX RANSOM
Candidate for Constable

at

THE BARN

Monday, August 29th, 5 p. m. till?

REFRESHMENTS—MUSIC

DANCING

W. F. Roberge, candidate for county supervisor from this district and who is being linked with Max Ransom in the present campaign, many other county officials and candidates for election to county offices have been invited to attend.

Refreshments, dancing, and entertainment will be the order of the evening at this political affair, with a peppy band having been engaged to play for the dance. One hundred and twenty-five cases of beer will be on hand to aid the campaigning. A feature of the evening will be campaign speeches by various county candidates.

In reference to his campaign Max Ransom Thursday told a reporter from this paper that "if I am elected there will be an annual barbecue on each fifteenth day of October for all the people of the Palm Springs Township celebrating the start of each new season."

Billy Wright, genial salesman at the Munnell and Company real estate brokerage, dropped in for a few hours Thursday. Billy stated, while in the village, that he and Mrs. Wright will return for the season in about a week or ten days.

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FOR RENT—Three-bedroom furnished, Santa Rita Place, J. G. Repplier, Phone 3532, 70 North San Geronimo, Banning. s1-tf

William Marte, contractor, and H. L. Hansen, associate, are remodeling the residence of Dr. A. B. Chiffis at Sierra Madre. The improvement includes an all-electric kitchen. Dr. Chiffis is a brother-in-law of Dr. Forbes of Coachella Valley, and Mr. Marte has done considerable work for him in the Valley.

John Cline, manager of Tom O'Donnell's Desert Golf Club, returned to the village recently from a trip to Victoria, B. C.

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BARGE: \$1.00 per person. Free live bait. Short boat leaves at 6:30 a. m. and on the hour until 5:00 p. m. Clean cabins, restaurant and tackle store. Last boat out at 5 p. m. for night fishing.

ALL DAY LIVE BAIT BOATS: \$2.00 per person. First boat leaves at 7 a. m. Last boat at 8:30 a. m. Free live bait. A short ride to the fishing grounds. We are now using the rotation system.

CHARTER PARTIES: Week days, \$40.00 for 20 passengers; all over 20 passengers, \$2.00 per person. Live bait furnished.

Sundays and holidays: \$50.00 for 20 passengers; all over 20 passengers, \$2.00 per person.

A deposit of \$10.00 required in advance.

All boats are government and state inspected and Diesel powered with the exception of the troller.

(Political Advertisement)

Dear Friends:



I have never said or caused to be said or published one unkind or derogatory thing about any of my opponents in this race. If I have to maliciously attack the character or actions of any one of them or any member of their family to be elected Sheriff of this County, I do not want the job.

I have proven my ability to keep a level head throughout this campaign and feel this characteristic is the most important of all the requirements for this office.

If chosen as your Sheriff I will take the oath of office free and clear of any and all entangling alliances with obligations to no individual or group.

My twenty-one years of successful business experience in Riverside is further proof that I have the ability to function the mechanics and personnel of this department in a thoroughly practical and business-like manner, with an ever watchful eye on the over-head. (I am a fairly heavy taxpayer, the same as you.)

Please disregard the utterly ridiculous rumors being spread around by the over-enthusiastic friends of some of the other candidates.

My one ambition: To make you proud of me as your Sheriff.

RAY HOAGLAND

VOTE FOR
CLARENCE L. TEMPLETON
Candidate for
CONSTABLE

Palm Springs Township
Resident of Palm Springs 20 Years.
Primary Election August 30, 1938



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"Your retirement from the Senate would be a distinct loss to the public."

—FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

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